

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

HONORING THE PROUD PATRIOT ON ITS GRAND OPENING

HON. ELISE M. STEFANIK

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, July 3, 2018

Ms. STEFANIK. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor and congratulate the Proud Patriot on its grand opening.

Vanessa and Niklas Herring, co-owners of the Proud Patriot, are passionate about honoring those who serve their country. The Proud Patriot is an all-American restaurant in Rouses Point, New York, that offers a 10 percent discount to veterans, law enforcement and peace officers. Serving up classic American food, the restaurant has its slogan, "Land of the free because of the brave," proudly written on its "veterans wall," decorated with photos of local veterans. Vanessa and Niklas both have military lineage in their families, and Niklas is a proud Army veteran himself. Their dedication giving back to those who sacrificed so much for our country is truly admirable.

On behalf of New York's 21st District, I want to thank Vanessa and Niklas Herring for their honorable commitment to our veterans. I wish the Proud Patriot nothing but success as it opens its doors to the community.

COST ESTIMATE ON H.R. 5730, THE TRANSPORTATION SECURITY TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION RE- FORM ACT OF 2018

HON. MICHAEL T. MCCAUL

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, July 3, 2018

Mr. MCCAUL. Mr. Speaker, the following cost estimate H.R. 5730, the Transportation Security Technology Innovation Reform Act of 2018, prepared by the Congressional Budget Office was not made available to the Committee at the time of filing of the legislative report.

U.S. CONGRESS,
CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE,
Washington, DC, June 28, 2018.

Hon. MICHAEL MCCAUL,
*Chairman, Committee on Homeland Security,
House of Representatives, Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: The Congressional Budget Office has prepared the enclosed cost estimate for H.R. 5730, the Transportation Security Technology Innovation Reform Act of 2018.

If you wish further details on this estimate, we will be pleased to provide them. The CBO staff contact is Megan Carroll.

Sincerely,

KEITH HALL, *Director.*

Enclosure.

H.R. 5730—TRANSPORTATION SECURITY
TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION REFORM ACT OF 2018

As reported by the House Committee on
Homeland Security on June 22, 2018

H.R. 5730 would require the Transportation
Security Administration (TSA) to develop

programs to test and evaluate advanced screening technologies related to the agency's mission. Using information from TSA, CBO expects that meeting the bill's requirements would not add significantly to the cost of existing and similar activities related to transportation security. CBO estimates that any change in federal spending under the bill—which would be subject to appropriation—would total less than \$500,000 annually.

Enacting H.R. 5730 would not affect direct spending or revenues; therefore, pay-as-you-go procedures do not apply.

CBO estimates that H.R. 5730 would not increase net direct spending or on-budget deficits in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2029.

H.R. 5730 contains no intergovernmental or private-sector mandates as defined in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act.

The CBO staff contact for this estimate is Megan Carroll. This estimate was reviewed by Theresa Gullo, Assistant Director for Budget Analysis.

A TRIBUTE TO JOHN REYNOLDS

HON. DAVID YOUNG

OF IOWA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, July 3, 2018

Mr. YOUNG of Iowa. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and congratulate John Reynolds of Council Bluffs, Iowa who recently retired from the Pottawattamie County Sheriff's Department with 30 years of service in law enforcement. John's tenure was marked by honor and distinction.

John served in many capacities at the Pottawattamie County Sheriff's office. He was a jailer, court security officer, corporal, and Chief Deputy to Sheriff Jeff Danker. Sheriff Danker said, "John was an essential part of the Sheriff's Department. His retirement is not only a huge loss to us, and me, but it's a big hole to fill. John always did a great job, whatever role he was in." John said, "I've loved working here. Never had a day I hated coming to work."

Mr. Speaker, John Reynolds has made a difference by helping and serving others. It is with great honor that I recognize him today. I know that my colleagues in the United States House of Representatives join me in applauding his accomplishments. I thank him for his service to the Pottawattamie County Sheriff's Department and the citizens of southwest Iowa and I wish him continued success in the future.

IN RECOGNITION OF COMMANDER KEVIN CAREY

HON. ROBERT J. WITTMAN

OF VIRGINIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, July 3, 2018

Mr. WITTMAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Commander Kevin Carey on his retirement from the United States Navy.

Kevin received his commission through Officer Candidate School in 1995 after graduating from Old Dominion University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering. Kevin was designated a Naval Aviator in 1997 and qualified as an SH-60B Seahawk Pilot. Kevin amassed over 3,100 hours of flight time in six different naval aircraft.

Kevin served several operational tours including with the HSL-46 *Grandmasters*, Destroyer Squadron 24, and the HSL-48 *Vipers*. He deployed aboard the USS *Cape St. George* (CG 71), USS *Arthur W. Radford* (DDG 968), USS *John F. Kennedy* (CV 67), and USS *Underwood* (FFG 36). Kevin filled a variety of billets on the tours to include: Land Safety Officer, Air Operations Officer, Detachment Officer-in-Charge, and Squadron Operations Officer.

Additionally, Kevin served tours ashore with HT-8 *Eight Ballers*, the Chief of Science, Technology, and Intelligence for Naval Air Systems Command, and the Appropriations Matters Office in the Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy.

Through the Navy, Kevin pursued several academic opportunities. He attained his acquisition certification in Systems Planning, Research, Development and Engineering; lifetime membership with BETA GAMMA SIGMA—the International Honor Society Recognizing Business Excellence; and obtained his Certified Defense Financial Manager certification. Kevin graduated with distinction from the Naval War College with a Command and Staff Diploma, Naval Postgraduate School with a Master of Business Administration in Financial Management, and School of Aviation Safety. The education prepared Kevin to screen for Financial Management SCP Commanding Officer.

I have the pleasure of knowing Kevin since he was a Boy Scout in Montross, Virginia and I am honored to have watched him grow into the humble servant leader he is today. I wish Kevin and his family the best as they take on this next stage in their life.

RECOGNIZING THE RECIPIENTS OF THE 2018 FAIRFAX COUNTY STU- DENT PEACE AWARDS

HON. GERALD E. CONNOLLY

OF VIRGINIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, July 3, 2018

Mr. CONNOLLY. Mr. Speaker, I rise to recognize the recipients of the 2018 Fairfax County Student Peace Awards.

This program began in 2006 to encourage high school aged students to think about peace as both a means and an end, and to recognize young people who work as peace-makers. The Fairfax County Student Peace Awards began with one high school, and by 2013 the program was being offered in every public high school in Fairfax County, as well as in three private schools. Inspired by the success of the Fairfax County program, Frederick County, Maryland, launched a Peace

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